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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This Amendment and Response is provided in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on January 23, 2004. At this time Applicants respectfully submit that all claims stand in condition for allowance. Accordingly reconsideration and withdrawal of all previous rejections is requested.